DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The lands are being ploughed and made ready for sowing in almost all the taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks, Paddy, in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks, Natragi in parts of Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks and Mulberry in parts of Channapatna and Kankanhalli and Closepet (Sub-Taluk) Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Til is being sown in parts of Bangalore and Hoskote Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

10. *The prospects of the season* are fairly good. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. But for Naradiroga and Chapperoga in parts of Hoskote Taluk and Chapperoga and foot and mouth disease in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—The standing crops such as Vaishakhi paddy, sugar-cane and jola are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. The raiyats are ploughing their fields.

Prices of food grains.—Stationary.

Labour.—Sufficient for the cooly classes for the present.

11. *Cattle.*—Healthy.

Pasture, fodder and drinking water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks; castor in parts of Tumkur Taluk; til in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks; groundnut in parts of Gubbi Taluk; jola in parts of Kunigal, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks; paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas. Paddy in parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, jola and ragi are reported to be in fair condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all parts of the district.

Water and fodder are reported to be available in all parts of the district, except in parts of Pavagada Taluk, where water difficulty is reported to be continuing.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Black and green grams are being sown in parts of Yedatore Taluk for purpose of manure.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, cotton, mulberry, ragi, jola, til and paddy are reported to in good condition.

Crops sown.—Jola in all the taluks except Mysore, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, T.-Narsipur and Nagamangala Taluks; ragi in parts of Hunsur and Yedatore Taluks; togari in parts of Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks; tadagani in parts of Seringapatam, Gundlupet and Krishnarajpete Taluks; til in parts of Seringapatam, Yedatore, Nanjangud, Malvalli, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks; castor in parts of Chamarajnagar, Gundlupet, and Mandya Taluks; haraka in parts of Mandya Taluk; groundnut in parts of Chamrajnagar Taluk; avare in parts of Gundlupet Taluk and black and green grams in parts of Seringapatam Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Water and fodder are available and cattle are reported to be healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Ploughing operations* are going on in parts of the Manjarabad Taluk; paddy and ragi in Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks; togari in the Hassan Taluk; castor and togari in the Channarayapatna Taluk; til and ragi in the Arsikere Taluk; til cholam, green gram and senabu in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk are being sown.

Standing crops such as sugar-cane and kar paddy in the taluks of Hassan and Channarayapatna are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. But for rinderpest in parts of Ramanathapur and Magge hoblis, Arkalgud Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is going on in all parts of the district.

Seeds sown.—Paddy is being sown in parts of Tirthahalli Taluk and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks and Vaishaki paddy in parts of Sagar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fairly good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available in all parts of the district.

Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in the villages of Arabilchi, Devarahalli, Syderkallahalli, Nimbegondi of Shimoga Taluk in Bhadravati Town, in parts of Kasaba Ubrani and Basavapatna Hoblis of Channagiri Taluk, Govinakovi, Taraganahalli, Hosahalli, Lingapur villages of Honnali Taluk; Kuskur, Siralkoppa, Chikjambur, Kadenandihalli, Thalagunda, Mayasettikoppa and in Churchagundi villages of Shikarpur Taluk in Sagar Town; Bilave, Sarala, Nekragodu of Tirthahalli Taluk in Serigere, Veerakoppa and in Kumsi Town.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operation.*—Lands are being ploughed in Tarikere, and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown—Chikmagalur—Paddy, ragi and til. Kadur—Jola, til, black gram and green gram. Tarikere—Sugar-cane. Mudigere—Paddy.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—Sugar-cane and Kode paddy. Kadur—Sugar-cane. Tarikere—Sugar-cane. Mudgere—Kode paddy. Narasimharajapura—Sugar-cane.

Crops harvested.—Kadur—Sugar-cane. Tarikere—Sugar-cane.

Note.—The return of Sringeri is not received.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available, but their prices continue to be high.

11. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in Giriapura of the Kadur Taluk Galihalli and Dornalu of the Tarikere Taluk and in Narasimharajapura Town. It is reported that the foot and mouth disease is subsiding in the villages of Kagga Nuggi and Bintaravalli of the Koppa Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and made ready for sowing purposes.

Standing crops are paddy, cotton, sugar-cane, chillies and kadle. They are reported to be in a fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Challakere Taluk—Gidda ragi. Hosdrug Taluk—Til, mungar jola and castor.

Crops harvested.—Challakere Taluk—Paddy 8 annas; Hiriyur Taluk—Paddy and cotton 6 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Labour is generally available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Hiriyur, Holalkere, Davangere and Harihar Sub-Taluk and foot and mouth disease in parts of Hosdurga Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors are taking needful action.

Water and fodder are generally available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
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For *Revenue Commissioner,*
absent from the station.